



Docket No.: S&ZIO020103

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date indicated below.

By: 

Date: October 24, 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applic. No. : 10/623,830 et al.
Applicant : Astrid Elbe et al.
Filed : July 21, 2003
Art Unit : to be assigned
Examiner : to be assigned

Docket No. : S&ZIO020103
Customer No. : 24131

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Hon. Commissioner for Patents


Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.98 copies of the following patents and/or publications are submitted herewith:

Alfred J. Menezes et al.: "Handbook of Applied Cryptography", CRC Press, Boca Raton, pp. 600-603;

Erkay Savaş et al.: "A Scalable and Unified Multiplier Architecture for Finite Fields GF(P) and GF(2^m)", in Ç.K. Koç et al. (ed.): CHES 200, LNCS 1965, pp. 277-292, Springer Verlag, Berlin, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,



Mark P. Weichselbaum
Reg. No. 43,248

For Applicants

Date: October 24, 2003

Lerner And Greenberg, P.A.

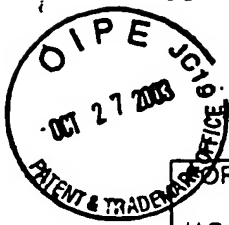
Post Office Box 2480

Hollywood, FL 33022-2480

Tel: (954) 925-1100

Fax: (954) 925-1101

/bmb



FORM PTO-1449 (SUBSTITUTE)

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEINFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT
(37 CFR 1.98(b))Attorney Docket No.:
S&ZIO020103Applic. No.
10/623,830

Applicant

Astrid Elbe et al.

Filing Date
July 21, 2003

Group Art Unit

2193

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIALS		PATENT NO.	DATE	PATENTEE	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE
	A						
	B						
	C						
	D						
	E						
	F						
	G						
	H						
	I						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENT

		DOCUMENT NO.	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB CLASS	TRANSL. YES NO
	J						
	K						
	L						
	M						
	N						

OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

CD	O	Alfred J. Menezes et al.: "Handbook of Applied Cryptography", CRC Press, Boca Raton, pp. 600-603
CD	P	Erkay Savaş et al.: "A Scalable and Unified Multiplier Architecture for Finite Fields GF(P) and GF(2 ^m)", in Ç.K. Koç et al. (ed.): CHES 200, LNCS 1965, pp. 277-292, Springer Verlag, Berlin, 2000

EXAMINER

DATE CONSIDERED

5/13/04

EXAMINER. Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.